From Bacon comes "Knowledge is Thomas Southerno said that "Pity's akin to love."

Dean Swift thought that "Bread is the "All cry and no wool"-is found in But-ler's "Hudibras."

Thomas Murgan queried long ago:
"What will Mrs. Grundy say?" Edward Coke was of the opinion that "A man's house was his castle." Washington Irving coined the expression: "The almighty dollar." Goldsmith remarked: "Ask me no ques

tions and I'll tell you no fibs."
"Man proposes but God disposes," are
the words of Thomas a Kempis. "When Greek joined Greek, then was the tug of war," came from Nathaniel

Charles Pinckney first said "Millions for defense, but not one cent for tribute." "Variety is the very spice of life," and "Not much the worse for wear," come

Macintosh gives, in 1791, the phrase often attributed to John Randolph: "Wise and masterly inactivity." "Of two evils I have chosen the least," and "The end must justify the means,"

Christopher Marlowe gave forth the invitation so often repeated by his brothers in a less public way: "Lovo me little, love me long."

Thomas Tasser, a writer of the sixteenth century, first said: "Better late than never," "Look ere you leap," and "The stone that is rolling can gather no moss." "First in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his fellow citizens" (not countrymen), appeared in the resolutions presented to the house of representatives in December, 1790, by Gen. Henry Lee.

Sir John Macdonald, premier of Canada, is exceedingly annoyed at the statement which has been frequently printed in newspapers that he began life as a boot-black. He says that while his people were not rich, his youth had the surroundings of a refined home, and that his family is of ancient Scotch descent.

John Roach possessed genuine Irish wit. When he came to this country he wit. When he came to this country he wit. When he came to this country he wit. When he came to this country he

The Pink Eyed Pittsleys.

Scattered through the several country towns and villages of Rochester, Freetown, Lakeville, Long Plain, Acushnet and Myricks is a peculiar race of people that stick close to their native backwoods, but on rare occasions emerge from their self-chosen retirement to the neighboring more populous towns of Middleboro and Wargham, and sometimes are seen on the Wareham, and sometimes are seen on the

Wareham, and sometimes are seen on the streets of New Bedford, Tannton and Fall River, the observed of all beholders.

The local appellation that follows them to all places is that of "Pink eyed Pittsleys." Their peculiarity is pink eyes and perfectly white hair. This striking singularity is said to have first made its appearance in a family by the name of Pittsleys, in Frectown, a century or more ago, and spread through succeeding generations among the offspring of those who intermarried with the members of the family, until many of the residents of this section of a variety of family names as well as that of Pittsley have members marked by this peculiarity of the eyes and hair and this peculiarity of the eyes and hair and an accompanying facial expression that is

odd in the extreme.

The old man Merchant Pittsley was pink eyed, and he had nine children. All live of his sons had pink eyes and white hir, and one daughter was marked the same way; but the other three girls had as fine black eyes and dark hair as any girl in town. They married, all but one, and had children, and some of their chil-

thick. I am not an admirer of coachmen who run away with their master's daughters, but this thing having been done by Mr. Huelscamp, has be not since acted with remarkable discretion and commen sensel-

David Hunter Strother.

Readers of Harper's Magazine of thirty years ago will be glad to know that "Porte Crayon," whose pen and pencil sketches of life in the south in those days were so charm-ing, is passing a peaceful and prosperous old age in his native state, Virginia. His real name is David Hunter Strother, and his sername is David Hunter Strother, and his ser-vice in the Union army during the war of

age in his native state, Virginia. His real name is David Hunter Strother, and his service in the Union army during the war of the rebellion entitles him to the title of "general." Gen. Strother is 70 years old and in perfect health.

The Streets of London.

London newspapers are filled with complaints of the condition of the streets, which are said to be in frightfully bad order. Rotten row, for instance, comes too near its name, the road bed being a quagmire of filth and mud six inches deep, while the wooden pavements on west end thoroughfares, including some of the most fashionable, are full of uncomfortable ruts and dangerous holes. Then there are growls because the buses, which are twice as many and twice as big as ten or fifteen years ago, lotter and crawl and block the way. From all which it appears that we must not look to London for ideas for the improvement or the relief of our highways.—Boston Transcript.

A Funeral Ficture.

According to The Detroit Tribune the painting, "Last Hours of Mozart," Intely purchased by Gen. Alger, of Michigan, is so realistic that it affects people to tears. Miss Alger says: "Ever since the picture has been in the house it has seemed like a funeral. I don't think anybody has smiled, and as for a hearty laugh, anything of that kind would seem to be altogether shocking and out of place. It thing of that kind would seem to be alto-gether shocking and out of place. It seems as if the great Mozart is actually dying right here in the house, and yet never really dies." It must be a cheerful sort of a picture to have about the house.

A popular society fad in New York is to have books bound in colors to harmonize with the complexion or dress of the reader. One wealthy belle has had Shakespeare bound in brilliant red because it adds to the richness of her brunette complexion, while a blue eyed damsel reads Tennyson from a becoming cover of blue and gold.

—Atlanta Constitution.

James Lick's Estate.

James Lick died in San Francisco ten years ago, leaving in the hands of trus-tees an estate of about \$3,000,000, to be divided among various charitable and scientific societies. The estate is yet unsettled, but the trustees have drawn over \$100,000 in salaries and have paid out nearly \$200,000 in lawyers' fees.

The Queen's First Doll. Recent additions to Mme. Tussaud's show in London are Queen Victoria's first doll, first shoes and first gloves, and various other mementoes of the royal nursery also a piece of her majesty's wedding cake. But the report fails to state whether they are made of wax or not.

The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad company is having built at its shops 100 iron tubular cars. These are said to weigh less than the wooden cars of the same dimensions, and to have a carrying capacity of 60,000 pounds.—New Orleans Times. Democraft.

PEOPLE TALKED ABOUT. SI | I H. NICHOLSON,

What the Newspapers Say Concerning Mrs. Lizzle Champney, the well known writer of children's stories, is a tall, elen-der woman and a graceful talker. Her sband illustrates her stories.

Miss Anita Lucille Cody, daughter of "Buffalo Bill," is a beautiful brunctte of 22 summers, is tall, has a pretty figuré, and is vivacious and well educated. Mr. Anderson Critchett, the celebrated London surgeon, was recently offered a fee of \$35,000, probably the largest medi-

cal honorarium on record, to go to India to treat one of the native princes. After consideration he declined the offer. One of the last acts performed by Ben: Ferley Poore before he was stricken down was on the recent birthday of George W. Childs. Mr. Poore went to the govern ment printing office and set his 1,000 cms for the Childs fund like the rest of the

The Goulds seem to take to stocks as "Not much the worse for wear," come from Cowper.
Edward Young asserts that "Death loves a shining mark," and "A fool at 40 is a fool indeed."

Macintosh gives, in 1791, the phrase often attributed to John Randolph: "Wise here

Sir Henry Ponsonby, private secretary and "The end must justify the means," are from Matthew Prior.

The world is indebted to Colley Cibber for the very agreeable intelligence that "Richard is himself again." To Milton is owed "The paradise of fools," "A wilderness of sweets" and "Moping melancholy and moonstruck madness."

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Dryden says: "None but the brave deserve the fair," "Men are but children of a larger growth," and "Through thick and thin."

Christopher Marlowe gave forth the inchristopher Marlowe gave forth the in

wit. When he came to this country he was only 15 years old. Some time after his arrival he met one of his father's most

A new portrait of Thomas Bailey Al-drich is being printed in the newspapers which is a striking example of how fath-ful is the resemblance of the average newspaper picture and the original. Lock-ing leisurely over a pile of exchanges in his office last week, Mr. Aldrich ran over the beadines and castelly changed over the headlines and casually glanced over

Remembering a Taunt.

One of the stories of the sort which formed the stories of the soft which formed the staple of subject for a school of literature now pretty well gone out of fashion, is told concerning the Quincy house and its late proprietor, Mr. J. W. Johnson. It is related by those sometimes a frame bridge, built of white oak entertaining and anon prolix gossips who know all the old stories which deal with their neighbors, that once Mr. Johnson, then a farmer up country, came to Boston to sell a load of potatoes. Such

to be to fulfill his boast, and to this end road. The road leading to Drum-

The Pigmy and the Gast. That the worm will turn, under certain provocation, is an undisputed axiom, but to what avail it has ever been difficult to dis-

and, if necessary, before a military tribunal, which will have one effect, that of worrying the chancellor to desperate resorts, as he has a terror of anything in the way of cross-examination. This contest between the pigmy and the giant will arouse a great deal of interest in the fatherland.

The Weather In Cantornia Mr. M. H. De Young, of The San Francisco Chronicle, recently offered to establish signal stations on the Pacific coast if the dirt thrown in the road and up lish signal stations on the Pacific coast if the bureau would furnish the instru-ments. The chief signal officer promptly accepted the offer, and the stations will be fitted out as soon as possible. The weather conditions are so peculiar in Cali-fornia that the present signal service is entirely inadequate. Advance warning of frost, cold rain or northers is worth many thousands of dollars to farmers and fruit growers. It is the intention of Mr. De Young to have these warnings sent by De Young to have these warnings sent by wire to the parts of the state threatened, and to do everything in his power to bring the service to perfection.—Frank Leslie's.

Malt in Buffalo. Buffalo's mait business is enormous. The annual product of the mait manufacturers there is 7,000,000 bushels—an amount exceeding by nearly 2,000,000 bushels the combined product of any other two American cities.-New Orleans

Norway's Ice Trade. The export of ice from Norway is a growing trade, 255,000 tons having been exported last year. In a few years, perhaps, it will be possible for an American in Europe to ask for a glass of ice water without being regarded as a lunatic.— New York Tribune.

Heads of the Profession. Horse doctors in Milwaukee find their profession more lucrative than that of the physicians who bother themselves with human ailments, with the additional ad

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June, next, bids for building bridges over Church and Cypress branches, near Pungoteague,grad ing and orherwise. ing and otherwise improving the ond.

The following are the specifications as to how the bridges are to

a frame bridge, built of white oak and of the following dimensions, viz: Frami: g 7 inches by 9 inches, sand had children, and some of their children had pink eyes and white hair, but not all.—Brockton (Mass...) Gazette.

Victoria Morosini's - Hasoana.

I met Mr. Huelscamp the other day on a Sixth avenue car, industriously collecting fares, and do you know I begin to admire the patient and uncomplaining manner in which he has gone on carning a decent and humble livelihood in the face of the largest possible form of approximation? Not a word seems ever to have passed his lips against the wife who deserted him, for after all she was his wife and married him with her eyes open, nor even against the relatives who have endeavored to cover him with a coating of mad several feet thick. I am not an admirer of coachmen who run away with their master's daughters, but this thing having been done by Mr. the sheeting and covering 2 inches

to be to fulfill his boast, and to this end he labored and saved until—still in the old fashioned comedy fashion—events had been shaped to his will, and his pluck and persistence were rewarded by the actual possession of the Quincy house, from whose doors he had once been ignominiously driven because he could not pay his bill.—Boston Cor. Providence Journal. long and 14 inches square for the water to pass through. Also on the upper side of the branch on the road leading to Keller station the hill shall be dug down and the road graded 30 feet wide and the dirt put in the road and against the bridge so as to throw the water from the road. On the side of the branch next to Pangoteague beginning at the corner of Aus. R. A. King's field and going towards Cypress branch the hills shall be cut

> the dirt put in the road and up against the bridge. At Church branch there shall be similar bridge as that of Cypress branch, built of the same kind of material 18 feet long. 10 feet wide and 5 feet high placed in the run of the branch, and from the brow of the hill next to Pungoteague to he branch the road shall be graded 30 feet wide and the hill in the road dug down and the dirt put in the road and up against the bridge. On the upper side of Church brauch the bill shall be cut down, the road against the bridge, but all the grading shall be done on the West

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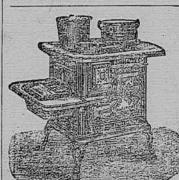
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